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[redacted] 19 December 1977

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Recommend AD/Pers approval of the attached request from the Director of Security to utilize Mr. Montrell E. Mills as an independent contractor serving as a [redacted] Correspondent in the [redacted] area under the [redacted] Subject, now age 53, retired from CIA 9 December 1977 as a GS-13 (step 10). The Office of Security will monitor the total compensation paid to insure compliance with the 90% rule.

You have the authority to approve this type request in accordance with [redacted] dated 25 Oct 77.

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DATE: NOV 2007

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director of Personnel

FROM: Robert W. Gambino  
Director of Security

SUBJECT: MILLS, Montrell E.  
Request for Approval to Utilize  
a Federal Government Annuitant

REFERENCE: [ ] dtd 25 October 1977  
Re: Re-employed Annuitants

1. (C) Action Requested: It is requested that approval be granted to utilize Mr. Montrell E. Mills as an Independent Contractor in the Office of Security's Confidential Correspondent Program.

2. (C) Background: Mr. Montrell E. Mills (DOB: 31 January 1924) retired from this Agency on 9 December 1977. He is uniquely qualified to be used as a [ ] Correspondent, having served for over 13 years as the Office of Security's Resident Agent in [ ] and before that, as an investigator in the [ ]. Throughout his years of service as an investigator, Mr. Mills was known for his dependability, his efficient management of time, and the high quality of his final investigative product. Presently, the [ ] is experiencing an unusually heavy workload in the general vicinity of [ ] the area to which Mr. Mills is relocating following retirement. A continuing search in this area for experienced investigators who are not civilian or military annuitants has been futile. If approved for the [ ] Correspondent Program, Mr. Mills could begin active work immediately for the [ ] and help to alleviate its caseload problem in the [ ] area.

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3. (C) Recommendation; In view of the foregoing, approval is requested to hire Mr. Montrell E. Mills as an Independent Contractor under the [ ] Correspondent Program for a one-year period in accordance with the provisions of [ ] dated 13 March 1975. He will be paid on a fee basis, not to exceed \$250 for each case satisfactorily completed. If this approval is granted, Mr. Mills' compensation will be closely monitored to ensure that the gross payments, plus his retirement annuity, do not exceed 90 percent of the salary of the grade and step he held at the time of retirement.

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ROBERT W. GAMBINO

APPROVED: /s/ B. DeFelias  
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Acting Director of Personnel

DISAPPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
Acting Director of Personnel

21 DEC 1977

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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